

Maryland to Note April Coin Week Celebration, Too

Gov. Marvin Mandel has proclaimed April 21-27 as Coin Week in Maryland and a copy of the declaration will be among exhibits planned for the period by the Maryland State Numismatic Association and Colonial Coin Club, Annapolis.

Displays will include a special printing of "A Portrait of a Coin Collector" by Norman Rockwell, issued only for members of The Franklin Mint Collectors Society. This plus a copy of the proclamation may be viewed at the Farmers National Bank, West Street at Church Circle.

On exhibit at the First Federal

Savings & Loan offices, Parole, Md., will be Maryland numismatic items, including coins, colonial currency printed in Annapolis in the 1770s and a commemorative half dollar issued in 1934 for the state's 300th anniversary.

Hobbyists and general public are being encouraged by the association and local club to view an outstanding coin collection at Evergreen House on the Johns Hopkins University campus, N. Charles Street, Baltimore.

The collection was bequeathed to the university by John Work Garrett, heir to the Baltimore

& Ohio Railroad fortune. Evergreen House is open from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday through Friday. Its curator has suggested, "The best time for a visit is in the morning."

"This year's 'Coin Week in Maryland' April 21-27 is the first ever held in the state," commented Henry K. Westphal, president of the Maryland State Numismatic Association.

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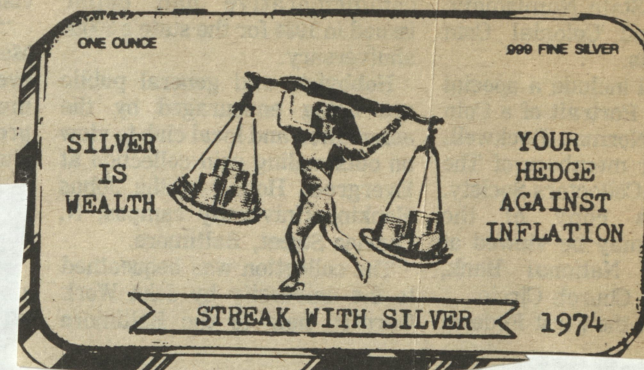
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GOVERNOR'S PROCLAMATION

Coin Week
April 21-27, 1974

- WHEREAS, Coins and currency form a universal part of the lives of all people; and
- WHEREAS, The American Numismatic Association, a non-profit organization founded in 1891 and chartered by a special Act of Congress in 1912, is observing the week of April 21-27, 1974, as "National Coin Week"; and
- WHEREAS, The members of this and kindred associations encourage and promote educational and fraternal relations and foster the interests of young and old in a subject that is entertaining and instructive as well as valuable in encouraging thrift;

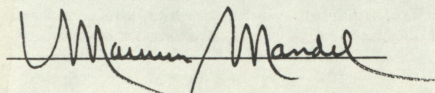
NOW, THEREFORE, I, MARVIN MANDEL, Governor of the State of Maryland, do hereby proclaim April 21-27, 1974, as

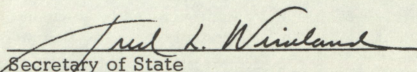
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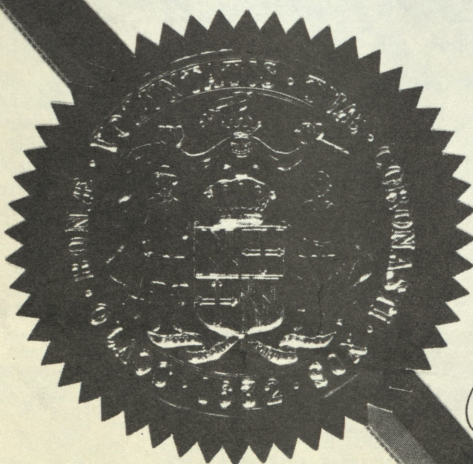
in Maryland, and I commend this observance to all our citizens.

GIVEN Under My Hand and the Great Seal of the State of Maryland, in the City of Annapolis, this 4th Day of April, in the Year of Our Lord, One Thousand Nine Hundred Seventy-Four.

By the Governor:

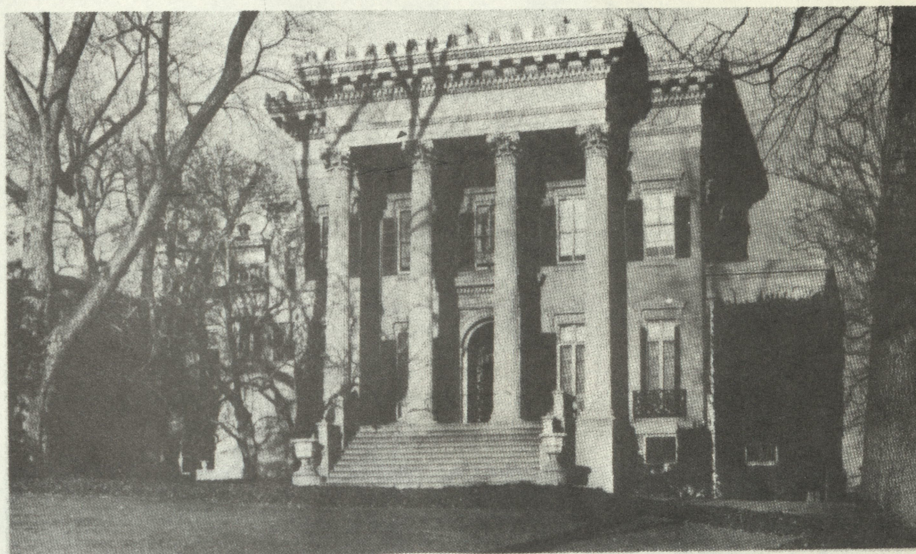

Marvin Mandel


Secretary of State



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PHOTO STORY BY LARRY STEVENS

The numismatic collection at Johns Hopkins University, though little known outside of scholarly circles, is one of the country's greatest, and forms the largest and most valuable division of Johns Hopkins fine arts collection which also include rare books, modern paintings, drawings and sculpture.

Numbering about 40,000 coins, tokens and medals, only a few of which are current, the collection is held at Evergreen House, willed with its famous coin collection, library and surrounding grounds by the late John Work Garrett, heir to the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad fortune.

The multi-million dollar coin collection is composed of at least a third of "Ancients", chiefly Greek

and Roman. Most of the other pieces are typical and choice issues representing every known country, sovereign or other issuing authority from the fall of the Roman Empire to the early nineteenth century.

Curator of the collection, Sarah E. Freeman, describes the U.S. Mint issues as "fabulous in quality, though not anywhere near a complete series of all mints", and adds, "I suspect . . . the best collection of Colonial and pre-mint issues, since we have many unique pieces . . . (and) a superb collection of pattern pieces, including most of the 1792s, which are seldom seen."

An exhibition of coins is displayed for public viewing from 2 to 5 p.m. daily, although scholars may request appointments for viewing of material held in vaults during weekday morning hours.

Not open Saturdays, Sundays and Holidays.

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Persons Entitled to Recognition For Activity in 1974 National Coin Week
In The State of Maryland

Melvin H. Widerman, Executive Vice President Commercial and Farmers Bank of Ellicott City Md. For setting up fine display in his Bank and Getting and writing publicity for same.

Governor Marvin Mandel, Governor of Maryland for officially proclaiming National Coin Week in Md. and signing said Proclamation.

Fred. L. Wineland, Secretary of State for State of Md. and Democratic candidate for Congress, for signing the proclamation and doing the research in behalf of the Governor.

Charles E. Griffith, Executive Vice Pres. Farmers National Bank for approving Display for National Coin Week in the Main Office of the Bank. This Bank is in Annapolis, Md.

Gilbert E. Hardesty, Vice Pres. Farmers National Bank for granting us a prime location in the Bank and being exceedingly cooperative all during the week.

Elmer M. Jackson, Editor and Publisher of Anne Arundel Times for publicity of Governors Proclamation and Exhibits in Farmers National Bank and First Federal Savings and Loan Association.

Chester Krause, Iola Wisconsin for Publicity of Nat. Coin Week in Md. in Numismatic News.

Robert Wolenik, Managing Editor Coinage Magazine for permission to reprint article on Evergreen House Coin Collection from Coinage in The Maryland Numismatist, Quarterly bulletin of M.S.N.A. Inc.

John L. Kipp, Lt. Commander, USN, President of Colonial Coin Club in Annapolis for joining me in petitioning Governor Mandel for the proclamation.

Frank E. Bassett, Commander, USN, For furnishing key material for the exhibit in 1st Fed. Savings and Loan.

Bob Meck, Annapolis Coin Shop owner "Bob's Coins and Guns" for loaning me hundreds of dollars of Gold Coins for the display in Farmers National Bank.

Robert Watson, of Howard County News, Ellicott City, Md. for publicity for Nat. Coin Week about the Display in the Commercial and Farmers Bank of Ellicott City, Md.

Wm. R. Ayres jr. Sect. of M.S. N. A. Inc. for setting up displays for The Four Associated Coin Clubs in the Baltimore City Area and the publicity concerning same.

Howard Thomas, President of Salisbury, Md. Coin Club for Display in Salisbury Mall and Publicity thereof.

Kenneth Short, Same as Howard Thomas above. Ken Short is Vice Pres. of Salisbury Coin Club.

Moses Moore, of Cambridge Md. played a leading role in the Salisbury, Md. Mall. He furnished a beautiful and very valuable display for the exhibits.

Wayne Brumbley Salisbury, Md. Same as Moore, Thomas and Short above

Robert Erwin, Salisbury, Md. Mall exhibits, like the four immediately above.

Continued list of Persons to be recognized

George Waingold, Cumberland Md. For Display at the Ft. Cumberland Hotel Show of The Western Maryland Coin Club and promotion of National Coin Week in Cumberland.

Martin L. Johnson, President Western Md. Coin Club for scheduling Coin Show during National Coin Week and publicizing same.

Henry K. Westphal, President Md. State Numismatic Association, Inc. for initiating, planning, publicizing, promoting, exhibiting and soliciting membership for A.N.A.

Respectfully submitted by

Maryland State Numismatic Association, Inc.

Henry K. Westphal

by Henry K. Westphal, Pres.